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In re Application of:

David J. Nelson et al.

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PRINTING**

Serial No. US 10/016,054

Filed 06 December 2001

Group Art Unit: 2853

Examiner: Leonard S. Liang

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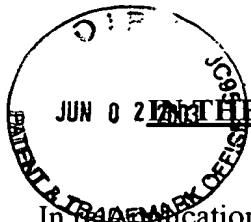
**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND/OR ELECTION OF  
SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2003, for which the one-month time period to respond extends to May 30, 2003, please consider the following remarks.

**REMARKS**

Applicants elect the invention of Species I with traverse. However, Applicants respectfully submit that Species I through Species VII have related subject matter. As such, Applicants submit that the Examiner would not be seriously burdened by examining the invention of Species I along with the inventions of Species II through Species VII. Accordingly, withdrawal of the election of species requirement is respectfully requested.

Applicants acknowledge the Examiner's indication Claims 1-11 and 26-45 are generic. Applicants submit that Claims 12 and 46 are also generic. Additionally, Applicants submit that Claims 13-15 read on the invention of



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(For Extensions of Time and other Petitions to the Assistant Commissioner)

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